

P. L. L., 1888, Art. 10, sec. 150. 1884, ch. 520. 1916, ch. 78, sec. 150.

**234.** Every bailiff shall give bond to the Commissioners in such penalty as may be prescribed by the Commissioners for the faithful performance of such duties as may be prescribed by the Commissioners.

P. L. L., 1888, Art. 10, sec. 151. 1884, ch. 520.

**235.** The Commissioners may make by-laws, not contrary to law, for the regulation and good government of said town and the inhabitants thereof, and to restrain all disorders and disturbances, and prevent and remove all nuisances, inconveniences and annoyances within said town; to prevent the running at large of horses, cattle and other stock, and the firing of guns, pistols and fire-crackers in the streets, lanes and alleys of said town; to make, repair and regulate footways; make and keep open drains or sewers; to extend the streets or alleys, and renew their boundaries, and make new streets, and do such other things as they may deem proper; and may enforce obedience to their by-laws by such fines, penalties and forfeitures as they may deem reasonable, not to exceed twenty dollars for any one offence.

1910, ch. 659 (p. 810).

**236.** The Commissioners of East New Market shall have and are hereby vested with full power and authority to grant and regulate franchises to electric light companies, power companies, gas companies, telephone companies, telegraph companies, water companies and sewer or drain companies; provided, that all such franchises shall be for a definite period, not exceeding twenty-five years, and be renewable at the discretion of said Commissioners, and shall specially set out the nature, right and duration of the same, and no power or right not expressed in any such franchise shall pass thereunder.

P. L. L., 1888, Art. 10, sec. 152. 1884, ch. 520. 1904, ch. 82, sec. 152.  
1916, ch. 78, sec. 152. 1922, ch. 467, sec. 152.

**237.** They may cause an assessment to be made from time to time by one person to be appointed by them, of all the property, real, personal and mixed, of all kinds and descriptions whatever within the corporate limits of the said town, and such other property as follows the person of the owner, liable by law to be valued and assessed and chargeable with taxes in this State; and in making said assessment, the said property shall be valued at its cash value and it shall be chargeable according to such valuation for the corporate purposes of said town; provided, that the tax levied on said property shall not exceed in any one year seventy-five cents on the hundred dollars of the assessed value thereof (including the tax provided for in Section 250); and provided further any person aggrieved by said assessment shall have an appeal to said Commissioners, who are empowered to increase or abate assessments; said assessor shall have the authority to administer oaths to persons to be assessed and take a list of their assessable property under oath.